Woolridge First To Sign Up

E. D. Woolridge of Hurtsville, already a "Tree Farmer", which means that he has considerable land devoted to reforestation, became the first landowner in Appomattox to sign up under the Reforestation of Timber Lands Act which became effective July 1. This program will reimburse the landowner one-half of the cost per acre to reforest with pines up to $20.00 per acre. The landowner can choose to receive 75% of the cost up to $30.00 per acre as a thirty-year no-interest loan. There's approximately $1 million two hundred thousand dollars to be used on this program this year in Virginia. Half of the money from an increase in the forest severance tax matched by an equal amount from the state general fund. Any private landowner is eligible for the benefits of this program, up to 500 acres of reforested land per year. County Forester Warren Taylor has information and application blanks for landowners interested in a profitable program.

A TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR

by Rosetta Berkley

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That is why we tried so hard to rescue you.

Your families are hoping and praying.
Their hearts are heavy but they go without saying.

Your fellow Americans too have cares.
They have been waiting to pay your fares.

For your safe return they are ready to sacrifice.
They are so dedicated, they will pay even the highest price.

Their own lives they would give
So that in a democracy you could once more live.

We all have the dream that someday you will be together.
With your loved ones forever and ever.

For they long to have you near.
Your voices they to hear.

We know home is your desire.
And we hope to have you here before that Viet-Namese War
will expire.

You will once more be in peace.
And won't have to think of those darn Viet-Namese.

Gunsmith Moves

Robert Carr, gunsmith of Wreck Island Creek, has moved from Appomattox County to Montvale, Va. (Bedford County)

Carr, who received his apprenticeship in gunsmithing from the late Hacker Martin, is a member of the National Muzzle Loading Riflemen's Association. He specializes in Kentucky rifles and pistols plus work on modern guns.

At Montvale he will live at the Rockydale Farm (State Rt. 617) His shop will still be known as the Va. Backwoods Long Rifle Gun Shop. His friends and associate, the late Hacker Martin, had several names for his gun shop located at the Wreck Island Creek Mill. At various time it was known as Maude and Hacker's Gun Shop, and in later years, as Ye Olde Thumpdoodle Water mill and Huckleberrry Ridge Rifle Manufactury.

Carr's new location is within six miles of the Skyline Drive. The farm, itself, is heavily forested, with deer, elk and bear finding a haven there.

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Social Notes

Mrs. Sam Miller has had as her guest this week, her sister, Mrs. Della Barrall and her aunt Mrs. Myrtle McDaniels, of Piscataway, N. J. Also, Mrs. Miller's nephew and niece and son, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barrall and Jimmy. Mrs. Paul Barrall is the former Miss Esther Burnett of Red House and the Barralls are visiting relatives and friends in the area.

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Miss Johnna Belter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carwile, flew from Roanoke to Pgh. Pa. to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Russ.

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Mike Belter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carwile, is a counelor-trainee at Camp Monocan this summer.

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William Harvey is visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Sr. in Vera.

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Mr. Thomas O. Elder of Madisonville is attending school in Petersburg.

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Big Increase In Donors

Virginians are signing up as eye donors at a rate more than twice that of any previous year.

Figures supporting that statement were released today by L. Paul Byron, Chairman of the Board of Old Dominion Eye Bank, co-ordinating agency for eye donation in eastern Virginia

Since the start of the eye bank's fiscal year last July 1, 5,244 new eye donor pledges have been received by the Richmond organization -- bringing the total on file to over 40,000.

In the nine months of the current fiscal year, almost twice as many pledges have been made by Virginians than in any of the previous thirteen years of the eye bank's history.

This year, the eye bank made a special appeal to the Lions Clubs to help meet the growing demand for human eye tissue by extra effort in eye donor solicitation.

Virginia Lions answered that plea in dramatic fashion.

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Mrs. Eddie Wilson Lucado
(The former Miss Karen Rose Graves)

Wed In Double-Ring Ceremony

The marriage of Miss Karen Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Patrick Graves of Keysville, to Eddie Wilson Lucado, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lucado of Keysville, took place at 4 p.m., Saturday, June 12, in Ash Camp Baptist Church, Keysville.

The Rev. Conn G. Agee, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a traditional floor length wedding gown with chantilly lace with a scalloped pearl and sequined bodice with Princess A-line lines and long pointed sleeves. She wore a chantilly lace trimmed illusion chapel mantilla, and carried a white cattaloya orchid on a Bible with streamers of lily-of-the-valley.

Miss Deborah Louise Rice, of Amherst was the bride's maid of honor. She was attired in a floor length gown of green dotted swiss, fashioned with short puff sleeves. It featured a high neck and empire waistline defined with green velvet ribbon. Her headdress was a green velvet ribbon bow. She carried a basket of yellow marguerite daisies and baby's breath.

Bridal attendants were Miss Judy Kirby, of Keysville, and Miss Joanne Babbit Reynolds, of Danville, Miss Myra Evelyn Jackson, of Jacksonville, Florida, Miss Barbara Lynn Giles, of Farmville was bridesmaid. They wore floor length gowns identical to that of the honor attendant with matching headpieces and carried bouquets identical to that of the maid of honor.

Miss LeAnne Russel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Russel of Keysville, was the flower girl.

Eddie E. Lucado was best man for his son. Groomsmen were Clifton E. Lucado, Jr., of Appomattox, Millard Albert Lucado of Plenix, Joseph Ralph Lucado, of Keysville, The groom's brother, James Patrick Graves, Jr., was Junior groomsman.

A program of wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Herbert Owen, of Keysville, prior to and during the ceremony, Mrs. Conn Agee, of Keysville, sang "The Wedding Prayer".

Mrs. Graves, the bride's mother, wore a pink A-line dress fashioned with long puff sleeves. She wore a pink cymbidium orchid. Mrs. Lucado, the groom's mother wore a green A-line dress featuring long straight sleeves. She wore a green cymbidium orchid.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall immediately following the ceremony.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will live in Blackburg.

Shower Honors Bride-Elect

Misses Nancye Mathews and Lucy Martin entertained at the Mathews' home Saturday evening honoring Miss Brenda Trent. They honored the bride-to-be with a miscellaneous shower.

The Mathews home was decorated with summer floral arrangements and the refreshment table was accented with a candelabra centered with a floral arrangement of sweetheart roses.

Guests included friends of the bride, Mrs. Madeline Thomas, mistress of ceremony, Mrs. John Mathews and the mothers of the bride and groom.

Miss Trent's marriage to Mr. Giles will take place at 8 p.m. July 10, in the Memorial United Methodist Church, of this city.

Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bruce Barnwell, of Greensboro, N.C., announce the birth of a son, Leonard Bruce, Junior on July 5. Mrs. Barnwell is the former Jane Morris Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marshall Richardson, of Appomattox.

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Social Notes

Mrs. Don Moses recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Moses of Roanoke Virginia.

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Kathy Jo Elliott is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Tilden Lee, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Elliott of Boston Beach, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wells, of Lynchburg, spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Jamerson. Other visitors in this same home were Mrs. J. W. Eades and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Webb, of Colonial Heights; Mrs. H. D. Wooldridge and Miss Lucy Buck Bentley, of Roanoke, and Mrs. H. S. Jones, of Lynchburg.

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Visitors in the home of Mrs. W. H. Almond over the July 4th holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cyrus and daughter, Joyce, of Virginia Beach, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Almond and family, of Raleigh, N.C., Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cyrus and daughter, Ladona, of Roanoke, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Wellman and son, Jamie, of Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Elliott, of Rustburg. Mrs. Almond and her guests enjoyed a picnic Saturday at Holiday Lake.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson will spend next week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Barnwell, of Greensboro, N.C. Mrs. Joe Megginson, Jr. has been visiting some time with the Barnwells.

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Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heinz and daughter, Debbie, and Debbie's two girl friends, Cindy and Kathy, all of Baltimore, Md.

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Mrs. Lee Robertson, Mrs. Hines sister returned with them for a weeks visit.

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Mrs. Marshall Martin had news that her friend, Mrs. Murtice Coleman Smith of Sabina had passed away. She was well known in Appomattox as she taught school here some fifty years ago.

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Mr. Sam Miller, a patient at the Veterans at the Veterans' Hospital, Salem, Va. is showing some improvement. He has been a patient there for several months.

Guests Here For Wedding

Out of town friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Trent who will arrive for the Trent-Giles wedding, which will be an event of Saturday, July 10, will be Mr. and Mrs. John M. Tabb and family of Williamsburg, Va., Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Trent of Kilmarnock, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Lively Tabb and family and Miss Mildred Kent of Newport News; Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Tabb, of Richmond; Miss Lina Trent, of Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Marshall and family, of Buchanon, Va.; Miss Lea Hyde and Mrs. Mary Hill and Mr. Tommy Hill of Buchanan, Va.

MISS AMANDA KEITH SUMPTER

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton Sumpter, Jr. of Lynchburg announce the engagement of their daughter, Amanda Keith, to Eugene William Shirey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace White Shirey of Spout Spring.

Miss Sumpter is a graduate of Liberty High School in Bedford County and Central Virginia Community College.

Mr. Shirey is a graduate of Appomattox High School and is employed in Lynchburg.

The wedding is planned for October 2, in Timberlake Baptist Church, Lynchburg.

Shower For Bride Elect

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Harris of Pamplin entertained at their home Tuesday night, June 29, at 8 o'clock with a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Beth Massey, bride-elect.

Miss Massey's marriage to Earl Henry Carter, Jr. of Farmville will take place at 2 o'clock the afternoon of July 31, in Pamplin United Methodist Church.

White candles were used in decoration of the refreshment table. Guests included Mrs. Benjamin Charles Massey, mother of the bride, Mrs. Earl Henry Carter, mother of the groom, Mrs. James N. Carter grandmother of the groom, and a group of friends of the honoree.

Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Coleman announce the birth of a son, Robert Walter, born Wednesday, June 30, 1971, at Virginia Baptist Hospital. Robert Walter is named for both grandparents. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson Anderson, Roanoke. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Twyman Coleman, of Appomattox.

The Dan Colemans are also parents of a daughter, Jennifer Leigh, two and one-half years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Whitten of Baltimore, Md. were weekend visitors of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. J. House, Jr. are on vacation at White Lake, N.C. together with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conner, Jr. ("Buddy") and their children, Sheryl and Darryl.

Social Notes

Miss Patsy Jones will enter Lynchburg General Hospital to undergo a tonsillectomy.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. David Jones were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loring of Williamsburg last Friday night. While there they attended a concert by the William & Mary Summer School Band, of which their son was a member.

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Mr. Joe Anderson of Arlington was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. David Jones. On Saturday evening Miss Betsy Jones and Mr. Anderson attended the performance of "Three Dog Night" at Parker Field in Richmond.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Craddock and Eddie of Farmville; Mr. Robert Craddock and Miss Beverly Craddock, of Fort Wayne, Indiania, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackwell on Sunday evening.

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Mrs. William "Pat" Coleman is a patient at the Medical Center, Lynchburg, but expects to return to Hickory Grove, Appomattox within a very short while. Her address there is Medical Center, 2300 Landover Place, Lynchburg, Va. 24501, if friends would care to address a card or note.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beck, Jr. spent the Fourth-of-July week end in Montreal and Quebec, Canada.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lewis and children spent Sunday in Victoria with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vaughan.

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Charlie S. Martin is recovering at the Lynchburg General Hospital from surgery he underwent Friday.

New Librarian At County Library

Mrs. Therese Armstrong (above) of Red House, is librarian at the Appomattox County library, succeeding Mrs. Verna Conner who has recently retired. Mrs. Armstrong, charging out a book to Dawn Rosser (at left) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Rosser, Jr., has been serving as a school librarian here for the past three years, two of these years at Appomattox County High School and during the past school year at the Intermediate School. She has one son in the Air Force and two granddaughters. Mrs. Armstrong says that the friendship and goodwill entended to the library through Mrs. Conner continues - that just a few days ago 100 paperback books shown in foreground were given by Mrs. George Taylor and that other friends have also donated books recently. She hopes that the summer reading program by young people and adults will continue. During Mrs. Conner's 14 years as librarian, the summer program grew to be an important part of many pupils' and adults summer time activity.

Invitation To Wedding

The marriage of Miss Glenda Faye Simpson to David Christian Woodall will take place on Saturday, July 10 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at Concord Baptist Church, Buckingham county.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Williams, of Buckingham and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Woodall of Appomattox.

Relatives and friends of the couple are invited to attend the wedding and the reception which will follow in the church fellowship building.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin David Wheeler of Appomattox, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Louise, to Herbert Dudley Gordon, of Altavista, Va. Gordon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Gordon of Ahoskie, N.C.

Miss Wheeler is a senior at Madison College, Harrisonburg, Va. Mr. Gordon is a graduate of Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Va., and is employed by the King and Queen County School System, King and Queen Court House, Va.

The wedding date has been set for August 21, 1971.

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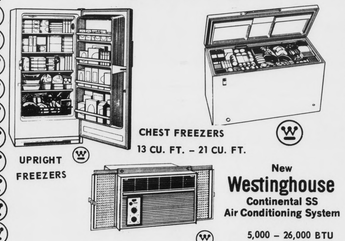

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